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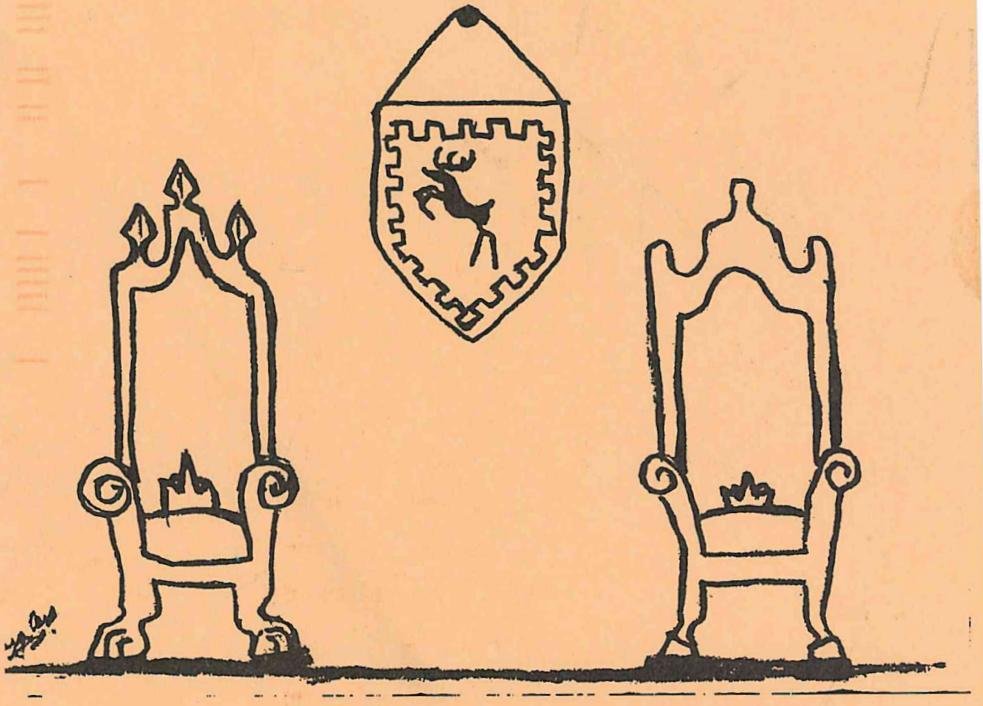

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From Their Outgoing Majesties

Unto the noble and honorable gentles of the great Kingdom of the Outlands do We, Maelgwn and Lillian wish to speak to you on Our final days as your servants.

We have worked hard to make you all proud, and have been proud to be the King and Queen of this great kingdom. It is truely a great honor to have walked in the the footsteps of those great Crowns who came before Us and set a standard and a way of life that is filled with warmth and magical moments. We will remember this time as your Crown as long as the sun rises in the east and sets in the west.

We offer Our thanks to everyone who has helped us on our journey. Within Our Kingdom you have travelled to be with Us from the hot flat deserts of the far reaches of the Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass to the cold and barren hills of the Shire of Plattefordham. Even beyond Our own borders you followed Us to the west to help Our cousins of Caid in defence from the kingdoms of Atenveldt and Artemesia at the Estrella War, and to the east to help our new allies of Trimaris in Their time of need. We commend you all for knowingly or not you have contributed your personal honor and dreams to make this kingdom stand out as a example to all.

We would like to give a special 'thank you' to Our royal houshold for all of your hard work in making sure that everything was set up and organized, and that everything was ready to go even when We were not. These gentles are the work horses of this kingdom and are the ones that create the stage that allows the King and Queen to tell the story of the great populace that the stag represents.

As the fiery blossoms of spring bring light and hope for the warmer season ahead, Our days draw short. Soon will be the day that We must step away as your King and Queen . With tears in Our eyes We take Our leave. We know your thoughts are as Ours of the new day when Our Heirs take Their places and become your King and Queen.

It has been a great honor to be your King, and a singularly greater honor to have been inspired by Lillian, my Queen. May her name live long, and bring forth joyous remembrance of all the warmth, grace, and beauty that has been and always will be My inspiration.

As the blood flows through the great Stag that represents Us, Our hearts will forever be filled by the love and dreams shared with the populace of this great Kingdom. As long as the Stag lives in your hearts, We are strong!

Long live the Outlands!

Maelgwn

Lillian

The Royal Retinue of TRM Maelgwn and Lillian

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Flower of Chivalry
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Lord Stephan Sorenson
Lord Bela of Ker
Lord Roger de Gilbert
Lady Robyn von Glonn
Lord James David of Argentias
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Lady Eleanor of Bolton

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Lady Caer Elevathya Draigen
Lady Morgana
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From Their Incoming Majesties

Jnto the Citizens of the Great Kingdom of the Outlands:

We would thank the populace of the Barony of the Citadel for their hospitality at their A&S Competition. We were pleased with the skill and variety of entries. In addition, we would like o thank Lady Skia and the Barony of al-Barran for hosting a grand Kingdom Arts and Sciences Collegium.

One and all are invited to the Barony of Unser Hafen for our Coronation and the elevation of The Honorable Lord Martino into the Order of Chivalry. For those interested participants, the Queen's Champion and Protector tourneys will be held in the Bear Pit style. In addition to the three peer circles, we intend to hold a meeting of Landed Barons and Baronesses along with all Royal Peers who wish to attend. Please see the Coronation event announcement for the meeting schedule.

His Highness requests the Legion of Doom (you know who you are) to fight in the King's Champion tournament at Outlandish. For further information please contact His Grace, Hrothgar.

In service to the Crown of the Outlands.

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Grand Queux
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Lord Vladimir Igorevich
(al-Barran)

Royal Archer
Lord Augustus the Piper
(Nahrun Kabirun)

Queen's Guard
Lord Vladimir Igorevich (al-Barran)
Lord Dietrich von Andernach
(Citadel of the Southern Pass)

From The Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings unto the grand and noble populace of these Glorious Outlands

The time will soon come for Their Majesties Maelgwn and Lillian to entrust Their Kingdom to Their Heirs, Crown Prince and Princess Lycurgus and Mikulina. Thank You, Your Majesties for Your devotion to and leadership of the Outlands. Now the populace welcomes Their Highnesses as they prepare for Coronation. I will miss seeing all the pageantry of Coronation this spring in the Barony of Unser Hafen; instead THL Bjorn and I will be attending the Kingdom Seneschals and Exchequers Symposium. We hope to learn much and share it with our local counterparts at Stags Con.

We are now seeking bids for fall Coronation to be held in the southern part of the Kingdom. These bids should be submitted to THLd Adam by May 13...that's six months before the event.

Once more, I find it necessary to remind everyone that we have a wondrous tool called the Outlands List. Many speak with each other and relay information of great value to the Kingdom. It is, however, not maintained by the Kingdom, but by Mistress Kathryn...and she does so for the benefit of the Kingdom. I believe there are nearly 1200 subscribers to this list, many of whom live in distant realms. Since there is no one who actually moderates this list, we need to be our own monitors. Keep in mind that the "list" is similar to a telephone without the benefit of voice inflection, similar to personal contact without the benefit of facial expression or immediate feedback, similar to private conversation without the benefit of privacy. Instead we rely on the written word, sometimes sent hastily. It is public and unretractable...once sent, like words, statements on the list cannot be "unsent". Please think before clicking "send"...re-read what you have written, and if it is not something you'd like to see in tomorrow's newspaper headlines, don't send it. Unfortunately, some discussions are so like personal conversations that we forget 1199 other people are listening, most quite silently. Often we make an assumption that the information we are sharing is accurate and often that is not the case...each of us perceives what we hear and see through our own set of experience-shaped filters. We then restate that perception as we have filtered it, much the same way the message game of "gossip" quickly mangles the original message. ---Let us instead use this wondrous tool for the purpose it was created, as channel for open and responsible discussion. The opportunity for quick and reliable communication requires a sense of responsibility for the content of that communication. Indeed, we are ultimately responsible for our own actions or words. Let's use the Outlands list responsibly...for the benefit of the Kingdom.

I am looking forward to seeing many of you at Stag's Con III, to be held in the Barony of Dragonsspine. Groups are encouraged to support their officers in attending this excellent training session. Kingdom Officers are preparing their classes as we speak. Input from those who attended last year resulted in this year's Stag's Con being a two-day event to allow for more training and cross-training. Whereas all are welcome, officers, including the Crown and Ruling Nobles, officer deputies, and autocrats are very much encouraged to attend.

This game we love has two sides, much like a play. Although I first heard this analogy from Baroness Llamrei, I am sure it has occurred to others as well. The play itself is the re-creation of the middle ages and renaissance with all of us as actors during events--our play. The Crown of the Kingdom, the Ruling Nobles, and the noble populace all work together to create a magical sense of glorious times past, yet present. This play is why many of us joined the SCA. The other side of the SCA , the business or "civil service" side, can be likened to the set constructors, artists, propmasters, and grips who create the framework which make the play possible. These gentles, who organize the business side of the SCA, are actually attempting to seamlessly create a safe space for us to act out that glorious play, although they may appear to be "rules mongers" who instead "rain on our play". Ultimately, both parts are needed for us to successfully re-create our beloved middle ages and renaissance. Because we live in the real world, we are bound by its laws and customs. Stag's Con helps officers learn how to do their job as invisibly as possible without interfering or adversely affecting our play, and at the same time, keep us safe so we can perform the play again.

As spring gives way to summer, we will all be travelling around the Kingdom and to other Kingdoms as well. Keep your beasts of burden well-fed and healthy as your prepare for your journeys. I look forward to meeting many of you throughout the camping season.

In service to Crown, Kingdom and Society, I remain,

Mistress Coemri nEithne

From the Outgoing Kingdom Earl Marshal

Greetings Warriors,

This will be my last word as Earl Marshal. Thank you to all the people that have helped me in the last 2 years. Even though I can't say with complete honestly that I loved every minute of my time as Earl Marshal, on the whole it has been an enjoyable experience. It has been a great honor to represent the Outlands in this office. Any problems that arose were rather easily dealt with due to the honesty, hard work, and reasonable attitude of the people of the Outlands.

Thank you to the local marshals of the kingdom for their great communication and dedication. Please continue to help Syr Nasr as you have all helped me.

Look for updates to the Heavy Weapons and Equestrian Kingdom Regulations in near future Outlandish Heralds. Both will be taken care of before I step down.

Again, thank you all for the great honor of serving you and remember to fight well and have fun.

Sir Haroun ibn al-Dhi'b al-Abyadh

From the Incoming Kingdom Earl Marshal

Greetings!

My name is Nasr ibn Isa. I am taking over the office of Earl Marshal from Sir Haroun as of Coronation. I would like to encourage all to join me in thanking him for his hard work, and battles missed running the Marshallate!!

As this is my first submission, I would remain brief. I would like to continue all reporting mechanisms established by Sir Haroun, as they seem to have worked well. My initial focus as Earl Marshall will be to establish a more organized weapon experimentation process. I feel that more effort placed into reporting the results of experimenting with new weapon materials and construction will enable a quicker, and more sound decision by the Marshallate to accept or reject new "toys". Please let me know if you have any ideas or suggestions on how this process could work! Please see my contact info in the front of this newsletter!

Thanks, and Be Safe!

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From the Kingdom Marshal of Fence

Greetings to all!

Spring is in the air, and in the steps of the rapier fighter of the Outlands. Warning: warm up those knees before you spring! It's no fun sitting down all summer when your compatriots are frolicking in the meadows, killing each other.

Coronation is imminent, and with it the grand and glorious Protector of the Queen's Heart Tournament. Practice hard, polish your blades, and repair your finest field garb, so that Her soon-to-be Majesty will be impressed, nay, in awe of your magnificence, second only to Her Own. Because last year was so fun, I will be hosting another DiGrassi Style Tournament at Grand Outlandish this year! Start studying! It will be schlager only, since they are closer to actual rapiers. I am still very interested in receiving feedback any of you have about this last Estrella War. I hope y'all had fun!

In Service,

Baroness Aindrea MacCullaich

From the Kingdom Archer General

Greetings to the archers of the Outlands,

There are some changes to the IKAC competition this year. First, no more bonuses for making your own bows and arrows. We have achieved a reasonable level of competitors in the traditional division and the bonus is no longer needed. Second, if you shoot more than one IKAC in the same division on a particular day, you no longer have to designate ahead of time which one will be for the record. Your highest score for the day will be the one that counts. Third, final IKAC scores for the year must be to Giovanni dell'Arco by Dec. 31st, rather than Dec. 10th.

Now to finish up a little business left from last month's article, what is a "period" nocking point? According to Sir Jon, tie on nocking points such as thread, string, dental floss, etc. are period. Crimp on metal nocking points are not. So, to qualify for the traditional division for IKAC competition, your nocking point must be tied on string etc.

All Royal Round, IKAC and IKCAC scores must be turned in to Lord Damian d'Antioche as soon after an event or practice as possible. Lord Damian will be responsible for getting all IKAC and IKCAC scores to Giovanni dell'Arco. Scores can be sent EMAIL or regular mail to the following addresses:

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Please be prompt and be sure to include SCA name, mundane name, group, bow weight and division, SCA membership number, date round was shot, scores by end (if not by arrow), total and the name of the marshal who ran the shoot.

The yearly competition for the Royal Archer draws near. To enter this competition, you must be at least yeoman ranked. To achieve yeoman rank, you must be shooting a three-round average of 45 points in the Royal Round except for Memorial Day weekend. This is the one time of year you may achieve yeoman ranking with a single Royal Round score of 45 points. The competition begins with qualifying Royal Rounds for those archers who have not yet achieved yeoman ranking. These rounds are shot according to the regular Royal Round rules which allow a practice end of 6 arrows to be shot at each of the three distances. Then the competition itself, which is for all archers of Yeoman rank or higher and those who shot 45 or better in the qualifying rounds. You must be present at Grand Outlandish or the Royal Archer Northern Competition, being held at Scout Park in the Canton of Hawk's Hollow this year instead of Brigand's Bizarre, to participate in the competition. The Royal Archer competition consists of one static round of 6 arrows and one 30 second speed round at each of 20, 30 and 40 yards. There will be no practice ends during the actual competition. Practice will be allowed before the competition begins. Come early.

May your aim be true.

Lady Ailinn Shadowfox

From the Interim Kingdom Minister of Arts & Sciences

Greetings from the Interim Minister of Arts and Sciences,

Monthly reports from Baronial officers should continue to be mailed to Her Highness until a permanent Minister is instated. It is a please to serve as your interim and I look forward to hearing from any and all artisans of the Outlands. I also wish to thank Mistress Monika von Zell for her calligraphy/illumination entry at Estrella war. Also, it was very exciting to see so many talented and enthusiastic artisans attend the Kingdom Collegium April 10th, thank you to all who traveled from afar to participate and support our Kingdom. Hopefully this month will see a new Minister, if not consider sending a letter of application.

In Service,

Lady Skamieka Draikova

From the Kingdom Hospitaller

aroness Leonora, Kingdom Hospitaller, sends Greetings Unto the Gentle Populace of the utlands with Warm Regards and Kind Wishes for a Gentle Spring.

:any years have I labored happily in the Office of Hospitaller of this fine Kingdom. Alas, the eeds of our Growing Estate and Manor have made it impossible to fulfill the Needs of the Office s I would have Liked. Unto this End, I now seek a Gentle to take up this Joyous Burden and arry On. It is a Wonderous task filled with Hard working local Officers and the Greatest Joy ' Duty to the Crown of the Outlands.

hose interested should contact Baroness Leonora or Mistress Coemri at the contact ıformation in the front of the OH. Gentles should be able to communicate via e-mail as well s phone. As a Kingdom Officer, you should be available to travel all over the Kingdom and be repared to meet with local officers at least yearly. You should have a good working knowledge ' how the Kingdom works and be familiar with Kingdom Law and Corpora. Finally, you should ave a love of the SCA and it's people and the ability to share that comfortably.

ours in Service,

aroness Leonora Kathryn de Provence

From the Kingdom Chamberlain

Replacement needed for the Office of Chamberlain.

y prayers have been answered and I have taken on a greater task at the University, so a eplacement is needed for the office of Chamberlain. Interested persons must be able to write detailed listing of regalia a few times a year. Knowledge of the history of the Outlands or a eat interest in learning it is most helpful. You duties are outlined by the office of the xchequer and the crown, but at most would be attending their Majesties and keeping a listing ' the regalia up to date. This office really only requires about four hours a months of 'work'. ccess to a personal computer and emails are necessary for sanity's sake. Please contact me t selene@unm.edu if you have an interest in this position.

ı service to the Crown of the Outlands

istress Celine Jane d'Hermain

From Their Royal Majesties of Calontir

nto the noble and kind populace of the Kingdom of the Outlands come greetings and wishes ' joyous spirits from Their Royal Majesties of Calontir, Luther and Lenore.

s many of you know, His Majesty experienced the sadness of the passing of his father during ıe time We were present at the Estrella War. We would like to take a moment and thank all ' you for your kind wishes, generosity and support during this difficult time. Although many ' you remain anonymous, We know that the people of the Outlands donated generously toward ıe emergency purchase of an airline ticket to send His Majesty Luther home early. We cannot xpress our deep gratitude in words alone. Thank you to all of you for your overwhelming enerosity and comfort.

hank you.

ı Friendship and Gratitude,

Luther Lenore

King and Queen of Calontir

From the Keeper of the IKAC

Back in January I proposed some rule changes on the SCA target and missile combat mailing lists. I received many responses and from those opinions I decided to amend the current rules to include the following:

The bonuses for the Period and Period Crossbow divisions will be dropped. The equipment standards will remain the same, but there will be no more bonuses for making your own equipment. The bonuses were intended to attract people to the Period divisions and many now believe, as I do, that the bonuses are no longer necessary and recognition for making one's own equipment can be found in the Arts & Sciences competitions.

Concerning how many IKACs one can shoot in a day for score, the written rule will change from "Archers must declare in advance which score is to be officially counted if they plan on shooting more than once in a particular division in one day", to "Archers may shoot more than once in a particular division per day, but only their top complete round of that day will be officially counted".

Lastly, the final scores must be submitted to me by December 31 instead of the 10th, as is currently written in the rules. I realize the 10th allows me to get scores into the Kingdom newsletters more quickly, but it does not conform to the requirement that scores must be submitted to me within 30 days of being shot.

These changes will go into effect at the start of the Northern hemisphere's IKAC season, 1 April 1999, and will be retro-active to the beginning of the Southern Hemisphere's IKAC season, 1 December 1998.

Last year we had an amazing number of scores turned in with some really incredible scores. Let's see if we can out-do ourselves again!

Lord Giovanni dell'Arco
Keeper of the Interkingdom Archery Competition
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For a copy of the IKAC rules, send an e-mail request to ikac@dellarco.com please specify rules on subject line). Or mail a written request (do not send self-addressed envelopes at this time) to the Keeper of the IKAC: Giovanni dell'Arco, c/o J. Satcher, 14828 Military Rd S #120, Seattle, WA, 98168

From the Society Seneschal

Position Available -- Society Chatelaines' Coordinator

The Society Seneschal is looking for someone to serve as Chatelaines' Coordinator. This is a two year volunteer position wth a possibility for extension. The major responsibilites of the position are: to serve as an "Information Clearing House" for kingdom and local chatelaines; to maintain a roster of kingdom chatelaines (although the chatelaines are selected and appointed by the kingdoms); to encourage quarterly reports to the corporate level; to handles special projects for the Society Seneschal; and (if possible) to travel to interkingdom events to meet with and encourage chatelaines.

The requirements for the position include: several years experience in the Society; a working knowledge of the governing documents; familiarity with all aspects of the Current Middle Ages. Previous experience as a high-level chatelaine is a plus, as is experience with other offices.

Please send a cover letter with both SCA and modern resumes to the current Chatelaines' Coordinator (Tracey Stoever, 149 Jeffords Road, Rush NY 14543) and the Society Seneschal (Lee Forgue, 2322 Russell Street, Berkeley CA 94705) by June 15, 1999.

Shire Birthday Bash

Plattefordham, May 1, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 9:00a • Site closes at 11:00p
Mount Hope Lutheran Church • 2300 S. Hickory • Casper, WY
Make checks payable to "SCA - Plattefordham"
Site is dry

Plattefordham Shire invites one and all to join us in a Birthday Bash, to celebrate our 6th year as a Shire, and the 34th year of the Society! This festival will include feasting and fighting, along with archery, games, an arts & science competition/display, and general merriment. The first course of the feast will be at noon, with further courses spaced through the afternoon and evening. Heavy weapon combat is planned, and light weapon combat can be available with sufficient interest. Participation in combat, archery, arts & science, and/or gaming can gain points that will be used to determine the shire champion for A.S. XXXIV. (You do not have to be a shire member to be champion, but must be willing to uphold the shire).

Fees: The combined site/feast fee will be $10.00 per person, reservations not required but GREATLY appreciated. Children age 6 to 12 are ½ price, under 6 are free. Reservations before April 26th please.

Restrictions: No drinking (extremely dry site), smoking in designated area only, no pets please.

Directions: I-25 to Casper, exit at Poplar street, South on Poplar to CY Ave (aka State Highway 220), right on Poplar to Kit Carson (stoplight by Smith's Food Mart), left up the street while bearing to the right past Johnny Appleseed Greenhouse to the church, parking is up and behind the building. Signs will be posted.

Autocrat: Lord Ælfraed Hawkmoon (Michael Baden), 1818 Cody Ave, Casper, WY 82604, (307) 265-9306, mbaden@missc.state.wy.us

Feast Coordinators: Lady Mavis Reynebaud of Falconskeep (Joy Marsh), 229 E Lathrop Road #141,Evansville WY 82636 (307)237-1795, mavisr@caspers.net

Lord Wilhelm von Altman (William Porter), 1463 S. Fenway, Casper WY 82601, (307)237-2128, WILHELD@caspers.net

May Day Tourney

Caerthe, May 1, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 9:00a • Site closes at 6:00p
Jefferson County Fairgrounds • 15200 W. 6th Avenue • Golden, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Caerthe"
Site is dry

The beginning of spring opens the season for the Tournament. Here now is the first Tournament of the season for the Barony of Caerthe. Warriors, prepare yourselves and get thee to the gathering for a day of tournament that will test your resolve and skill

The tournament will be a "Buy a Life" tourney, and will begin at 10:00a SHARP! Each life will cost $1.00. This money will go to help the Land Fund Committee of Caerthe. You may have as many lives as you wish and fight all the way through the tournament, BUT only your losses will count. The least amount of losses wins. That sounds like it would be easy enough, but that's not all. The weapon style will change in each round and be chosen by the Warlord of Caerthe. The final round shall be fought with great mace.

Rapier fighters. Do not think you are left out of this. A day of glorious combat awaits you as well. Or so I'm told. More information to be given on the day of the tournament.

A silent auction will be held all during the day for 5 box lunches made by THLdy Gabrielle Cartier. The money raised by this will go to help the Land Fund Committee of Caerthe. A May pole will be erected during the day for the pleasure of all who attend.

Site Fee and Restrictions: $2.00 Smoking in designated areas only.

Directions: **From the South**: Take I-25 north to 6th Avenue. Take 6th Avenue west to the Indiana exit. Take Indiana south to the first light and make a right, then follow the signs. **From the North**: Take I-25 south to 6th Avenue and follow the same directions as above.

Autocrats: THLdy Gabrielle Cartier (Cheryl Baker), 1645 Valentia St., Denver, CO 80220, (303) 394-4003, gcartier13@juno.com

Lord Grellan O'Conchobhair (Charles Murray-Todd), 7161 E. 67th Place, Commerce City, CO 80022, (303) 287-6963, flattenedfox@juno.com

Outlands Coronation

Unser Hafen, May 8/9, As XXXIV (1999)

Site opens Saturday at 10:00a • Site closes Saturday at 11:00p
Site opens Sunday at 10:00a • Site closes Sunday at 5:00p
Larimer County Fairgrounds • • Loveland, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Unser Hafen"
Site is dry

Hear ye, hear ye! You are invited to join Their Royal Majesties at the Coronation of Their Heirs on May 8 & 9 in the Barony of Unser Hafen. This glorious occasion and sumptuous feast will be held at the Larimer County Fairgrounds in Loveland, Colorado. On this momentous weekend, there will be the final Court of Their Most Royal Majesties - Maelgwn and Lillian, the Coronation of Their Royal Highnesses - Lycurgus and Mikulina, the Queen's Champion Heavy Weapons Tournament, the Protector of the Queen's Heart Rapier Tournament, peer circles, a silent auction fund raiser for the OH and the Crown's Travel Fund, and a promissory scroll competition. For the younger at heart there will be children's activities - including a courtly graces class. For those young at heart, but older in years there will be a gaming room. The event will be complete with a delightful Spring feast, and a meeting of all Royal Peers and Landed Baronages. All activities of the weekend are scheduled to be at the same site.

At the pleasure of Her Royal Highness, Mikulina, both the Protector of the Queen's Heart and the Queen's Champion Tournaments will be fought as Bear Pit Tournaments. Each is to last 45 minutes. Please be prepared to fight at the scheduled time as these will be short tournaments with lots of fighting! See the schedule below.

Fees are as follows: $6 site, $7 feast for adults, $3 site, $3.50 feast for children 14 and under, with a family cap on site fee of 2 adults and two children. (No family cap on feast fees) The feast is limited to the first 175 so please plan ahead and make your reservations. A donation lunch will be available on Saturday, and a beverage table will be open all day. This entire site is dry (no alcohol) including the tournament fields, buildings, and parking area.

The tentative menu includes various breads, Classic lentil soup, Ham & Cabbage soup, salad, Burgundy Beef on noodles, Glencoe baked onions, Marinated carrots, Green beans in sweet mustard sauce, Cold sage chicken, Orange rice, Marinated mushrooms, Zucchini scallops, and various desserts. If you have special dietary needs, please contact the autocrat.

The schedule for the weekend, subject to change at the pleasure of the Crown:

Saturday—
10am Site opens
11am Final Court of TRM Maelgwn & Lillian and Coronation
1:30pm Protector of the Queen's Heart Tournament
2:30pm Queen's Champion Tournament
3:30pm Meeting of the Order of the Chivalry
4:15pm Meeting of the Order of the Laurel
5:00pm Meeting of the Order of the Pelican
6:30pm Feast

Sunday—
10am Meeting of the Landed Baronages and all Royal Peers
No court will be held on Sunday

For reservations, information on local hotels, camping and crash space, or any other questions please contact the autocrat.

Directions: From the north or south, take I-25 to exit 255 (Highway 402 to Loveland) and drive west approximately 5 miles. You will cross Highway 287 (Lincoln Ave.) and cross a railroad track approximately ½ mile later. Turn right just after those tracks at Roosevelt Ave. The Fairgrounds will be approximately ½ mile north on the right side.

Autocrat: Lady Rossilin Katrin von Hohenzollern (Shannon Moyes Clark), 1500 West Prospect St., Ft. Collins, Co 80526, (970) 221-0850, dlc@verinet.com

Feast Coordinator: Lady Galiana fitz William (Debie Lambert), 1506 Welch St., Fort Collins, CO 80524, (970) 407-1283, mlambert@frii.com

Quest for Camelot

Schattentor, May 14-16, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens Friday at 6:00p • Site closes Sunday at Noon
Outlaw Ranch • Custer, SD
Make checks payable to "SCA, INC. Shire of Schattentor"
Site is dry

Prince Tarrach and Princess Fionna have challenged the Outlands & Artemisia to battle Northshield at Schattentor. We would challenge both kingdoms in a test of Armored Combat, Archery, Period Rapier, Arts & Sciences and possibly Equestrian. Since the event does not have full war status yet, all challenges will be by Middle Kingdom conventions. Of course afterwards we invite our SCA cousins to a grand feast and a night of dancing. For more details see seneschal flyer or contact the Event Stewards.

The site is located in the beautiful Black Hills only a few miles from Crazy Horse and Mount Rushmore. The site is in the heart of a forest near a mountain lake. Enough indoor space is available to continue the event even in bad weather. Please remember to bring warm bedding and clothes for night. The site is dry and has warm showers.

Reservations: Due to the event stewards by May 5th. **Site fees** are $10 (includes lunch and camping), 3 and under free. **Lodge:** $11 per person per night. **Cabin:** $6 per person per night. **Feast fees** are $8. **Merchants**: $10 - some indoor space provided.

Directions: Take your best route to Custer SD. From Custer travel east on Hwy 16A. Follow SCA & Outlaw Ranch signs to site.

Event Stewards: Lord Julio Gava'n (James Kruse) & Lady Catalina Navarra (Tanya Jaragoske); PO Box 73, Mission SD 57555, (605) 856-2235, jkruse@tcsdk12.org

Head Cooks: Lady Isla Urquhart (Audra Magee), 4964 LeRoy St., Rapid City SD, 57701, (605) 393-1812, Mongolguy@aol.com & Lady Ciara of Conamara (Paulette Meier), 10 St Francis, Rapid City SD 57701, (605) 341-5500

Scorpions Hollow Defender

Scorpions Hollow, May 14-16, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens Friday at 5:00p • Site closes Sunday at 4:00p
Castille Llano Estacado • County Road 17 • Clovis, NM
Make checks payable to "SCA - Scorpions Hollow"
Site is discretely wet

Do **YOU** have what it takes to be Scorpions Hollow's new Defender? If so bring your armor and come test your skills against others who are aspiring to be our Defender.

We at Scorpions Hollow are proud to announce that we are going to be using our new site. The Castille Llano Estacado (Castle of the Staked Plains). The site is still primitive so bring your shade. However we do have water and potties on site.

There will be Heavy, Light, and Archery as well as A & S Defender Tournaments. The Prize thusly being the Shire's Defender for the year. There will also be a Heavy and Light Weapon Giant Cookie Tourney. So if you have a major sweet tooth this one is a MUST ! ! !

Be sure to tell your friends, and even your enemies to load up and come to Scorpions Hollow Defender !!! See thee there !!!!

Directions: Take your best route to Clovis, follow signs to Prince Street (Highway 209) unt you get to County Rd. 17 on the North end of town. Turn East about 3/4 of a mile.

Autocrat: Colyne MacKay (Doug Offutt), 112 E 7th , Portales, NM 88130, (505) 356-285 offuttd@hotmail.com

Caerthen A&S Competition and Collegium

Caerthe, May 22, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 9:00a • Site closes at 10:30p
Berkley Community Church • 3701 W. 50th Street • Denver, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Caerthe"
Site is dry

Artisans and craftsmen take note! Finish your projects and hone your skills, for the Annua Caerthan Arts and Sciences Competition is coming soon. On May 22nd, 1999, artists are invite to enter the competition and partake of classes pertaining to Fiber, Visual, and Functional Art: The site opens at 9:00 with classes beginning at 10:00. Entries must be registered and read to judge by 11:00. A cold lunch will be served at 12:00 for a suggested donation of $2/persor There will be a delicious feast prepared by Lady Meghan ni Guinne beginning at 6:00 p.m. an we must exit the hall by 10:30p.m.

CATEGORIES:

FIBER ARTS:
Costuming
Accessories
Needlework
Threadwork
Heraldic Display
Miscellaneous
Something Learned in Last Year

VISUAL/FUNCTIONAL ARTS:
Calligraphy & Illumination
Leather Work
Metal Work
Woodworking
Written Work/Research
Miscellaneous
Something Learned in Last Year

Please see the February issue of the Fortress for complete Rules, or contact me and I will ge them to you.

CLASSES:

Lady Jorunn - Glass Beads; Lady Maire - Something weaving related; Mistress Giselle - Makin a body sloper pattern (bring pattern paper, measuring tape, pencil, and t-shirt); Lady Killian TBD; THLdy Maredudd - Gold leafing ($2 materials fee); Lady Keturah - Metalworking; THLd Illeana - Wire wrapped jewelry; Mistress Mirianna - Houppelandes; Lady Rivka - How t document you're A&S entries; THLdy Wyndylyn - Making a chemise; Lord Ichitaro - Origam THLdy Isabeau - Beaded Crespins (bring bugle beads, round beads with large hole, 26 or 2 gauge brass wire, 3/4" or 5/8" dowel rod)

Directions: I25 to I70 West. Exit at Federal Blvd. Go left (South) to 50th Street. Take a righ turn (West). Church will be your right hand side at the corner of Lowell and 50th.

Fees: $5 site fee, $5 feast fee. Children under 12 are free.

Autocrat: THLdy Taryn Brannick, (Ronni Hunter), 647 Knox Court, Denver, CO 80204. (303 893-4816. Vhunter@spike.dor.state.co.us.

Head Cook: Lady Meghan ni Guinne, (Amy Wilson), 864 S. Pecos, Denver, CO 80233, (303 727-9709

Lunch Cook: Lady Killian MacKenzie (Dawn L. Whitacre), 8421 S. Fillmore Way #246, Littleton CO 80122, (303) 733-9596

Grand Outlandish XXVI

al-Barran, May 27-31, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at Noon on 5/27 • Site closes at 4:00p on 5/31
New Canyon Campground • Manzano, NM
Make checks payable to "SCA - al-Barran"
Site is wet

ll Hail The Lord of Outlandish!!

od gentles all, know that you are most warmly invited by the entire Barony of al-Barran to n us for an even more Outlandish time than ever! This year promises many surprises in dition to our traditional activities. The site, the very same as last year, is in Manzano, New xico. The event will open at noon on Thursday and close at 4:00 pm on Monday. All ending merchants must pre-register with Lord Kovach Bolshoi (Allen Burkett) who can be ached at: (505) 298-9032 or panthera@swcp.com. **The deadline for merchant registration May 10th, 1999.**

e Rules: As ever, we will make the encampment as period as possible. To this end all nicles are to be off-site between 9:00 am Saturday and 5:00 pm Sunday. If you are planning arriving late or leaving early be sure to camp close to the gate (nearest the parking area). so, as weather in this region is often unpredictable, please come prepared for a full range of nditions. Remember to bring good boots and extra water. Above-Ground-Fires only will be rmitted and every camp with a fire MUST HAVE AN EXTINGUISHER. Pets are most welcome t must be on a leash. Pirates, mongers, lepers, moneylenders, or any other persons of estionable notariety are also welcome but ought to meet well our good Nightwatch Captain, rl Cathyn.

e Heavy Fighting: Grand Outlandish is going back to it's roots! There will be as much hting as the schedule and interest allows, so come prepared. We have planned something everyone and melee and brawls for all. The fighting will begin on Friday afternoon and will clude the traditional Lord of Outlandish Tournament on Saturday morning followed by the ight Banneret Tournament, with melee scenarios and activities to follow. On Sunday there ll be more tourney fighting in the morning including the Drygestan Knife Tournament at .00 per entrant. This will be followed by melee battles till everyone falls down. We expect have more fighters, more fighting and more room to fight in than last year. For queries on avy Weapons contact: Duke Hrothgar (Kevin Roderick) at (505) 260-0325

e Rapier Fighting: For those who have them - Bring your Blades! This Outlandish will boast ull rapier schedule beginning on Friday! The Outlandish Blade Tournament will be held nday Morning. There will be many fun rapier challenges and interesting tournaments held roughout the weekend, including a ressurection battle. For more Rapier info contact Lord eanain (Brent Hamilton) at (505) 286-2556

e Arts & Sciences: There will be a GOT University directed by Lady Skia. GOT-U will consist a series of A&S classes held throughout the weekend. We are still very much in need of achers. Please register your class with the director ASAP. A full schedule will be noted in the OT Handbook. We expect to have classes in costume construction, heraldry, middle eastern nce, banner construction, medieval history, favors, bardic history, illumination and lligraphy, documentation/research and many more! For more info contact: Lady Skia eather Whitesides) at (505) 344-0094

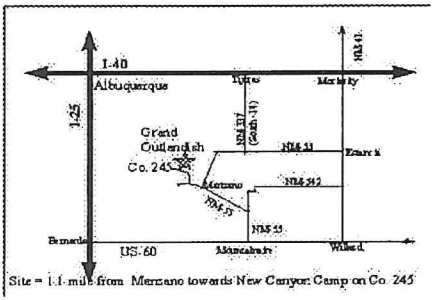
e Archery: Lord Steitan will be hosting a full schedule of archery activities during the event be certain to bring your bows. Also, there will be a shoot for Outlands Royal Archer. Further chery info: Lord Steitan (Steven Guetschou) at (505) 832-4186

uestrian Events: Lord Connor has planned much entertainment for those who ride and ose who watch. For riders there will be a Pilgrimage trail ride/s to the crest. More equestrian o can be obtained by: Lord Connor (Joe Roberts) at (505) 452-1687

e Fee: $15.00 per adult for the entire event! Children ages 6-12 are $10 and children 5 and der are free with a paying adult. There will be a day pass of $10 for Saturday or Sunday. ere is a family cap of $50. Members may sponsor people for the event and are asked to either company their guest to the gate or provide written authorization of their sponsorship.

Everyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian with notarized proof of guardianship. No exceptions.

Even More Info: A Heraldic Consultation table will be held open through Lady Tana, our Scorpion Pursuivant. We are still in need of volunteers for gate duty. If you can assist please contact Countess AnneAliz (Darlene Mayette) at (505) 243-7568. Also, on Saturday evening there will be a revel held at the town hall, following grand court, in honor of the new Lord of Outlandish. All are welcome to bring food and drink to share.



Directions to the site {see map}:

By any means possible get to the only church in the town of Manzano NM, "Nuestra Senora de los Delores (Our Lady of Sorrows).", Go west, across the street and up county road 245 (dirt) towards New Canyon Campground for 2/10 miles. Go north (right) at the fork in the road and continue towards New Canyon Campground for another 8/10 mile. Grand Outlandish is on county road 245 just 1.1 miles from the Manzano church on NM-55.

For more information contact one of the following persons at your leisure:

Autocrat: Mistress Helena the Fortunate (Helene McNeill), 2902 Campus NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106, (505) 262-0185

Co-Autocrat: Duchess Aziza al-Kashani (Jennifer Cunico), 1304 Kentucky NE, Albuquerque, NM 87110, Jenopie@worldnet.att.net

Site Manager: THLd Balthazar (Jon Ibarra), 8116 Princess Jeanne, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109, (505) 293-3518, balthaz@unm.edu

Royal Archer Northern Competition

Hawk's Hollow, May 29, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 8:00a • Site closes at dark
Scout Park • Northglenn, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Hawk's Hollow"
Site is dry

The Royal Archer Competition, normally held at Brigand's Bizarre, will be held at Scout Park in the City of Northglenn, CO this year. Qualifying rounds and the Royal Archer competition will both be held on the same day, Saturday, May 29th, 1999. The site opens at 8 AM. Qualifying rounds will begin, promptly, at 9 AM and will finish by 11 AM. The list for qualifying rounds closes at 10 AM. The list for the Royal Archer Competition opens at Noon and closes at 1 PM. We will begin the competition at 1 PM sharp. (I use a watch.) The range will be open between 11 AM and 1 PM for practice only.

This site is an undeveloped City park. Bring water! Bring shade! Bring a chair. There will be a privy.

Directions: Take your best route to I-25 and the 120th Ave. exit. Go East to the traffic light at Grant Drive. Take a right turn onto Grant Drive and continue on this road till you are forced to turn left onto Malley Drive. Go two blocks and turn right on Highline Drive. It is about four blocks to the site, which will be on the right side of the road. There is a $3 **site fee** to cover the cost of the privy. Reservations are not needed.

Autocrat: Lady Ailinn Shadowfox (Karen Swayze), 11622 Gilpin St., Northglenn, CO 80233, (303) 452-0717, kswayze@lucent.com

Fighter Collegium

Rio de las Animas Perdidas, June 5-6, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens Saturday at 9:00a • Site closes Saturday at 6:00p
Site opens Sunday at 9:00a • Site closes Sunday ay 2:00p
La Plata County Fairgrounds • 2500 Main Avenue • Durango, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Rio de las Animas Perdidas"
Site is discreetly wet

The incipient Shire of Rio de las Animas Perdidas invites all fighters to a weekend of activities - weapons and combat archery classes on Saturday. Melee classes and a melee tournament on Sunday. Authorizing marshals will be present both days. There will be a bardic and revel at River Hold beginning about 9:00 p on Saturday.

Site fee: $6, under 12 free . Limited crash space is available. Camping (included in site fee) will be available at River Hold, about 7 miles from the Fairgrounds, open at 4:00 pm on Friday, June 4. Information on local motels will be in the next OH.

Directions to the Fairgrounds: Take your best route to Durango, CO. **From the north:** (Hwy 550), drive south on Hwy 550 (Main Avenue), to second traffic light, turn left into the Fairgrounds. **From the south:** drive north on Hwy 550/160 (Camino del Rio). Bear left onto Main Avenue at 14th St. traffic light, continue north, turn right into the Fairgrounds (first traffic light past the high school). **From the west:** turn left on Hwy 550 (Camino del Rio), bear left onto Main Avenue at 14th St. traffic light, continue north, turn right into the Fairgrounds (first traffic light past the high school). **Bardic and camping**: From Main Avenue (Hwy 550) in Durango, turn east onto 15th St. Bear left at top of hill onto Florida Road (County Road 240). Drive approximately 7 miles, passing Edgemont Ranch. Turn right 8/10 mile past County Road 234 (bottom of hill), follow signs to River Hold.

Autocrat and Reservations: Lord Gerhardt Drachenmacher (Lee Bernhardt), 72 River Road, Durango CO 81301, (970) 247-2740, lee-gerhardt@Juno.com

Cattle Raid IV

Bofharrach, June 18-20, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at noon on 6/18 • Site closes at 5:00p on 6/20
Kielian Property • 28011 US Highway 34 • Kersey, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Bofharrach"
Site is dry

Come one and all to another summer weekend filled with camping, fighting, and more fun than you can shake a sword at! Our Allies, Hawks Hollow have told us that there is troubles brewing over the question of land ownership with their neighbors, Caer Galen. Of course Bofharrach had pledged to come to the aid of our fellow canton and ally, we shall go to battle to determine ownership! Our Equestrians shall challenge the Horsemen of Caer Galen to a Tournament, Our Archers shall shoot for their honor, Our Scotsmen(and pseudo Scotsmen) will show their strength and legs in the highland games, and Our fighters shall fight for glory on the Tourney fields on Saturday. On Sunday all question of ownership will be settled on the Melee fields!

Duke Olaf will once again be sponsoring a 24" round shield tournament with a hand made knife as the prize. Plans have been made for building the beginnings of a fort for this year, to bring a new element to the Melee!

The equestrian tournament will be run in the style of Sir Manfred of Meridies, in high heraldic fashion. Games to include the Quintain, ring jousting, spear throw and pig sticking. Full barding and heraldic displays are highly encouraged! Ikeqcs shall be run on Sunday morning before the Melees start. All riders are asked to pay $5.00 in addition to the site fee to help cover the cost of Insurance. Unfortunately there are no rental horses available. Please contact the Autocrat if you are planning to bring a horse.! Anyone bringing a horse is responsible for suppling their own method of containment.

Restrictions: No dogs allowed. No open fires. Tiki torches are allowed with a fire extingusher in plain site.

Site fees: $6.00 for adults, $3.00 for children under 15. There is no water available on the site and there will be no feast. A donation meal will be available on Saturday

Autocrats: Lady Moyra and Lord Lorcan MacColla (Jeanne & Lauren Mitchell), 2121 6th Ave., Greeley,CO 80631, (970) 352-9017, maccolla@info2000.net

Aarquelle Defender

Aarquelle, June 18-20, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 5:00p 6/18 • Site closes at 4:00p 6/20
Greenhorn Mountain Park • Colorado City, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Aarquelle"
Site is wet

Sharpen your blades, your tips and your wits and join the Shire of Aarquelle for a weekend of camping, fighting, fencing, archery, A&S and revelry as we choose our defenders for the coming year.

This gorgeous site enjoys many amenities...Flush toilets, showers, pay phone, trees, creek, picnic tables, barbeques, fire rings and electricity at every camp. (Fires may be restricted if danger is high) A swimming pool, lake fishing (permit required), golf, store/gas station/cafes and laundromat are less than 3 miles from the site. No cannons or firearms allowed. No drumming after 10:00p (park regs). Pets must be leashed. Children must be attended - there will be some children's activities. This is a wet site, but sale or vending of alcohol is prohibited.

Lord Tiegr, Lord Edward and Lord Seamus have planned many excellent scenarios for heavies, fencers and archers. Lady Susanna has a populace choice for A&S competition planned as well as an SCA Auction...so please bring full purses.

Aarquelle's Defenders will hale from the Shire, but prizes will also be awarded to the highest scoring out of Shire participants in all categories.

Site Fees: Members receive $1 discount each. Prior to April 30 – Camping: $9.00 ea. Children (12 & Under) $3.00 ea. Merchants: $9.00 + $5.00 merchant fee or item for auction. After April 30 -- Add $1.00 ea.

Autocrats: Lord Johannes Linkhandt and Lady Susanna Mac Lennan (Ron & Su Hand), 2611 7th Avenue, Pueblo, CO 81003, (719) 542-2616, suhand@centura.org

St. Sebastian's Revisited

Dragonsspine, June 25-27, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site open/close info in next OH
Lost Burro Campground • Cripple Creek, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Dragonsspine"
Alcohol status in next OH

The Barony of Dragonsspine and the Canton of Hawk's Hollow welcome one and all to the First (and hopefully annual) St. Sebastian's Revisited Archery Tournament. This grand event will take place June 25-27 at the Lost Burro Campground, 4 miles west of Cripple Creek.

We will feature a full weekend of archery, with a variety of shoots. Heavy and light competitions are also planned for those who don't take part in the sport of kings.

The site is a beautiful mountain valley and includes showers and restrooms, ice and firewood are also available.

Site fee will be $10.00 for the weekend, $7.00 for Saturday and Sunday and $5.00 per day for day trippers.

Autocrats: THLrd Alwyn of Kittisford (Ted Monogue), 3640 Arbor CT., Colorado Springs, CO 80918, (719) 532-1686, Alwyn@rialto.org
Lord Angus Montgomery the Forrester (Dwayne Buethel), 3807 Half Torn Rd. #232, Colorado Springs, CO 80918, (719) 574-6570, forrester@pcisys.net
Lord Eric Morrison of Thistlekeep (David Swayze), 11622 Gilpin St., Northglenn, CO 80233, (303) 452-0717 thistlekeep@pcisys.net

Banner Tourney

Windkeep, June 26, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 10:00a • Site closes at 3:00p
Lion's Park • 600 South Lion's Park Drive • Cheyenne, WY
Make checks payable to "SCA - Windkeep"
Site is dry

The Shire of Windkeep invites all who read these letters to come and celebrate Banner Tourney June 26th, 1999. It will be in Lions Park, Cheyenne, Wyoming and starts at 10 am and runs till 3 pm. We will have heavy and light tourneys, dancing, and a quest. The Windkeep A&S Champion will be decided. To enter the list, you must have a Banner. Your own will do, or borrow someone else's, decorative or heraldic, but heraldry counts. There will be prizes for the winners of the tourneys, and prizes for best death, bereavement, best looking armor, best banner, most chivalrous. **We need drummers and middle eastern dancers.** Let me know if you can help out in that area. The site is dry, pets on leashes and kids in parental control. The quest will be designed around the "F" word.

The **site fee** is free, and children are half price.

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War of the Stakes Plains V

Scorpions Hollow, July 1-5, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 5:00p 7/1 • Site closes at 5:00p 7/5
Castille Llano Estacado • County Road 17 • Clovis, NM
Make checks payable to "SCA - Scorpions Hollow"
Site is discreetly wet

Sir Asad has acquired new lands and it is being threatened by outsiders. War comes !

Lord of the Staked Plains Tourney will be held Friday at 7 PM. We will have Archery, Heavy Weapons, Rapier, A & S Competitions (with Documentation required) and Bardic Competitions.

A Feast will be served for the first 100 reservations on Saturday night, with a Special Birthday Celebration For Ansteorra for dessert.

Site is still primitive so be sure to bring your shade. City water is available for drinking only. Showers are planned. Pets must be leashed.. Take NM 209 (Prince Street) North of Clovis to County Road 17 - Turn East to entrance. Merchants are wanted and welcome with only a donation for the prize box as an extra fee. The Green Tower Tavern will be on Site.

Site fee: $10.00 - Children under 12 free - Family cap at $30.00 -- **Feast fee**: $ 5.00 per seat.

Restrictions: Minors must be accompanied by parent or legal guardian.

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Glory!

Unser Hafen, July 2/5, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at noon 7/2 • Site closes at Noon 7/5
Skyline Camp • Encampment, WY
Make checks mayable to "SCA - Unser Hafen"
Site is wet

The Gentle folk of the Barony of Unser Hafen invite warriors of all types to join us for Glory, The Heroes' War!

Our new site, Skyline camp, is secluded in the mountains near Encampment, Wyoming, and offers cool temperatures, spacious camping areas and showers on site!

There will be tournaments for heavy, light and archery every morning, and a schedule of melees every afternoon that will exhaust even the most hardened war hound. The schedule includes station tourneys, three man team tourneys, and melees of every kind. Test your skills in the prize tourney for a chance to win a handcrafted Carnyx (celtic war horn) made by Sir Deotrich Hiltipard, or push your endurance to the limits in the Legio Borealis Scout's Gauntlet.

Back from last year, our full service Inn will provide a complete meal plan from Saturday morning through lunch on Sunday. The Innkeeper, Mistress Meiriel of Tay, has an exciting (and filling) menu planned, including a midnight snack of milk and cookies!

More information and maps will follow, but plan now to attend (reservations last year almost sold out!). For further information, contact the autocrats:

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Tri-Baronial Warlord

Caerthe, July 9/12, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens at 2:00p 7/9 • Site closes at Noon 7/12
Meadows Campgrounds • Forest Road 55 • Buffalo Creek, CO
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Site is discreetly wet

Hark! and pray attend! The Baronies of Caerthe, Dragonsspine, and Unser Hafen, call forth all Warriors, Fencers, Archers, Bards, Artisans, and Merchants to Meadows Campground on July 9th weekend, to determine the Best of our Best, and name our Warlords! This grand event is to be overflowing with battles of sword, steel, and arrow. The spectators will enjoy shopping, art displays, and fine music.

The site, again, is Meadows Campground, approximately one hour SW of Denver. There will be signs along the way. The site is discreetly wet, all alcohol in period containers only. Beasts and pets are to be leased at all times -- there are NO exceptions. There are permanent toilets and water on site. We are unsure if there is to be a feast at this time, but information will be posted in the next article. There will be a Bardic, so entertainers prepare!

Site fees for the weekend are: Members 12 and over $8.00; children under 12 are $4.00; family fee (two member adults and two children) is $24.00. Non - members add $2.00. Reservations for site is recommend and can be made by phone, e-mail, or regular mail. Merchants: For a tithe we are offering free site for two adults. Please contact the autocrat.

Directions: Take US Highway 285 South to Pine Junction. At this point, you are actually traveling west, so turn South (left) onto Jefferson County Road 126. Go 15 miles to Buffalo Creek, turn right on Forest Road 55 and go 5 more miles to the site. There will be signs.

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Stag's Bloodbath

Windkeep, August 13-15, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site open/close info in future OH
Camp Jack Boy Scout Camp • Curt Gowdy State Park • Cheyenne, WY
Make checks payable to "SCA - Windkeep"
Site is discreetly wet

The Shire of Windkeep invites all who read these letters to prepare for a Bath. A Stags Bloodbath like no other. Fight all day, fight all night. Tourneys, we got 'em. Melees, we got 'em. Tell your stories at the Bardic fire. (conditions permitting) We need class teachers in the fighting arts, and non-fighting arts. Contact Lord Bjarki. Bring your drums, bring your pipes, your rattan. Baroness Aldyth will prepare field meals twice a day. The site allows consumption of alcohol. Cost will be $10 for the weekend, smalls half. Families contact the autocrat for special consideration. Make your reservation early. They are due by August first for portapotty and meal planning. Send reservations to Baroness Aldyth, with checks and money orders made payable to SCA-Windkeep.

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Scorpions Hollow — Shire

Portales/Clovis, NM

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Unser Hafen — Barony

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Event Announcement Information

Unto the populace of the great and glorious Outlands, does Laird Duncan MacAllister, Kingdom Chronicler, send greetings. Listed below you will find the requirements that have been set forth for Outlands Event Announcements. Please note that those items listed as 'Mandatory' must be present in the appropriate event announcement, or I will be unable to print the announcement.

Mandatory in ALL event announcements:

- ☐ Name of the Event
- ☐ Sponsoring Group
- ☐ Event Date(s)
- ☐ Mundane name of site
- ☐ Contact Information for the Autocrat
- ☐ Contact Information for Reservations (if not Autocrat, and they are being taken)
- ☐ Contact Information for Head Cook (If serving food)
- ☐ Contact Information for additional organizers (Crash, fighting, etc.)
- If reservations are being taken:
  - ☐ Deadline for acceptance
  - ☐ All associated costs (site, feast, discounts, etc.)
  - ☐ How to make checks payable

Mandatory in FINAL event announcement (Month of):

- ☐ All above information
- ☐ Site Open and Close times
- ☐ Mundane address of the site
- ☐ Alcohol Status (Wet, dry, discreetly wet, etc.)
- ☐ Directions to site (include distances, street names, etc.)
  - Do NOT assume signs will always be visible
- ☐ All associated costs (site, feast, discounts, etc.)

Optional, but highly recommended:

- ☐ A map to the site
- ☐ Schedule of events
- ☐ Feast menu (if feast is provided)
- ☐ Other pertinent site information (pet restrictions, water availability, etc.)

'Contact Information' as mentioned above is defined as: SCA Name, Mundane Name, address, phone number with area code, and an E-mail address if one is available.

Autocrats, please take notice of the article size constraints, and try to stay within them. All event articles are allowed three (3) showings in the Outlandish Herald, one (1) of which MUST be the month of the event (i.e. A March event MUST run in the March OH). The other two publication months are typically the two months preceding the event. An autocrat may request publication more than two months in advance, but that publication will count against the three (3) publication limit. Additional printings may be purchased at the current advertising rates. Kingdom Events (Crown, Coronation, A&S Competition/Collegium, and others as designated by the Crown) receive one (1) page in the publications prior to the event, and two (2) pages the month of the event. Non-Kingdom Events receive one-half (½) page in the publications prior to the event, and one (1) page the month of the event. Additional space may be purchased for any publication month at the current advertising rates. Current advertising rates are listed in the front of the Outlandish Herald. Where possible, please provide the Kingdom Chronicler's office with a prior month article, and a month of article fitting the above criteria for publication. The OH is printed presently with an 8-point font that allows for approximately 300 words in a one-half (½) page article, and 600 words in a one (1) page article.

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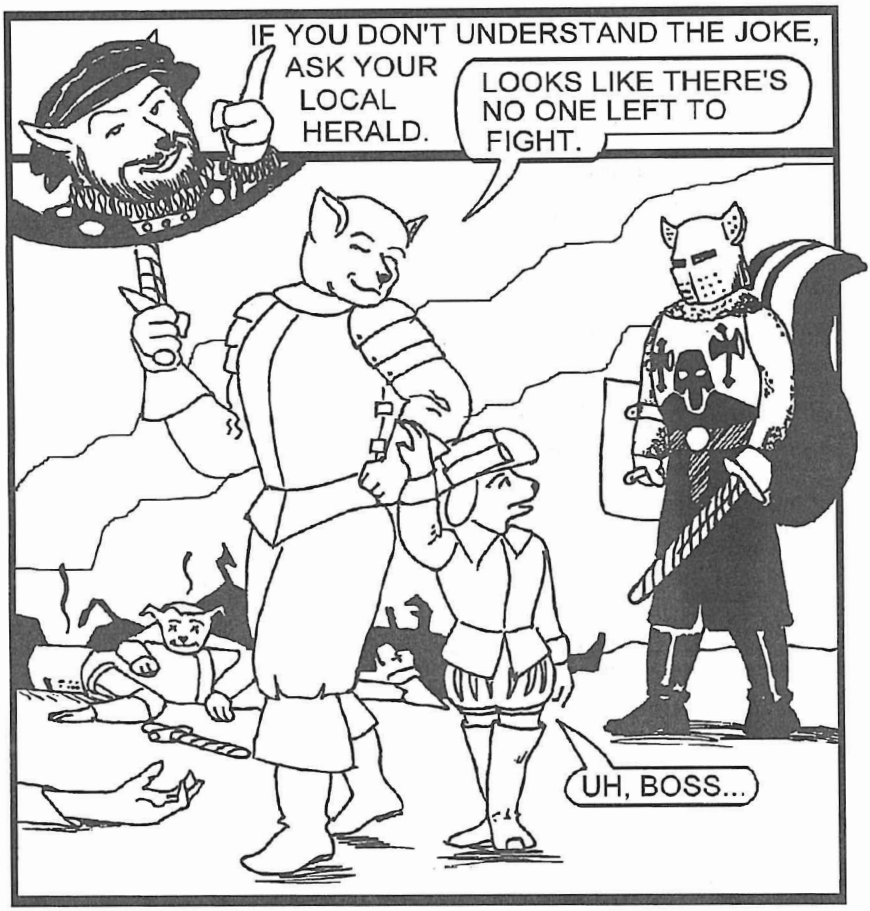

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Stag's Con III

Dragonsspine, June 12-13, AS XXXIV (1999)

Site opens Saturday at 9:00a • Site closes Saturday at 10:00p
Site opens Sunday at 9:00a • Site closes Sunday at 1:00p
Colorado College • 14 E. Cache la Poudre • Colorado Springs, CO
Make checks payable to "SCA - Dragonsspine"
Site is dry

The Barony of Dragonsspine is pleased to be hosting Stag's Con III, on June 12th and 13th of this year. All local officers, deputies, and any interested gentles are invited and encouraged to attend. Kingdom Officers will hold both individual and group sessions for training and good fellowship. This is a great opportunity for everyone to come learn what the officers do! All are welcome.

The site is this year is Colorado College (the College of Tyger's Keep), located at 14 E. Cache la Poudre St. in Colorado Springs. The site will open be open from 9:00 AM to 10:00 PM on Saturday, and 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Sunday. Classes will be held in Armstrong Hall. Detailed class schedules will be available in the next OH. Please contact Mistress Coemri, the Kingdom Seneschal, at seneschal@outlands.sca.org or at (308) 436-2690 for all matters dealing with the class content, schedules, or similar matters.

Gaylord Hall in the Worner Center will be the gathering place for court and feast. We will be offering a lunch again this year so the populace will not have to leave site. Also this year there will be grilled feast in the evening after the afternoon session followed by an open session for discussing kingdom issues, all in Gaylord Hall. Site will close at 10:00 PM on Saturday.

Fees: There is a $3 site fee and $7 for the lunch and dinner. This will not be a high formal feast, and eating utensils will be provided. The site is completely dry. Please send reservations to the Autocrat.

There is crash space available, and we will also try to arrange deals with some local hotels. Look in the next OH for more information, or contact the Autocrat to reserve crash space or for more details.

Directions: Exit I-25 in Colorado Springs at exit #143, Uintah Street. Head east (away from the mountains) to Cascade Avenue and turn right (south). Go through Colorado College and turn left onto the next street, Cache la Poudre. Armstrong Hall will be on your left (Armstrong is on the NE corner of Cascade and Cache la Poudre and Gaylord Hall is the NW corner). Parking is south and west of Armstrong Hall.

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En Passant Chess Club comes to the Outlands

En Passant

En Passant is coming to the Outlands! En Passant is a vehicle to promote the most medieva of games, chess. It is a way to bring people together who want to play the game or want t learn how from others. I, with great help from Sir Dennis the Wright, am trying to put togethe a list of lords and ladies who are interested in the game. En Passant would then be a way fo these nobles to contact each other to have fun and competitive games. Eventually we woul like to see the group sponsor tournaments and classes on the great game of chess.

There will be a point system in place that will allow players of the same level of ability to pla each other. The point system is not a ranking system, it is meant merely as a method to allo challenging matches. It will be loosely based on the American Chess Federation's point system En Passant is not meant as a way to inflate egos, or humiliate others. It will be a way fo people of the Outlands to meet each other on the field of games.

There is no obligation, beyond honor and chivalry, to be in En Passant. Although, later, player may be asked to teach classes or lead a tournament. I will maintain the list and wi co-ordinate all challenges. Sir Dennis will help me mediate any disputes that might arise.

There will be an organizational meeting at Grand Outlandish. We will meet in the 'publi pavilion' on Saturday night immediately following court. If you are interested in being a par of En Passant, and cannot attend Grand Outlandish, e-mail me at pcouse@worldnet.att.net E-mail is my preferred form of communication but I am also willing to use the phone, (505 861-2907, or snail mail if you like. I will then send you the rules.

The list will be drawn up by June 1 and a list of all players will go out then. There is n deadline for joining, the June date is an arbitrary one to officially start. Anyone is welcome t join at any time.

Play on!

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